

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of  
**PERRICAUDET, et al.**

Examiner: **BOESEN, Agnieszka**

Application No.: **10/018,273**

Art Unit: **1648**

Filed: **August 7, 2002**

Title: **RECOMBINANT ADENOVIRUSES  
ENCODING THE SPECIFIC IODINE  
TRANSPORTER (NIS)**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 22, 2006, the period for response having been extended three months to May 22, 2007 in accordance with the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

A list of amended claims begins on page 2.

Remarks commence on page 6.